



# Swami Atmanand Govt. English Medium Model College

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## Best practices successfully implemented by the Institution

A) 'Village Science Journey' 1- Superstition Eradication and Awareness Program (SEAP). The eradication of superstitions prevalent in the society (like a black cat crossing the road, breaking of glass being a bad omen, black magic, walling) and bad practices (like dowry system, child marriage, female foeticide, untouchability, casteism) is possible only by spreading scientific outlook and awareness among students and villagers. Since the institute is a science college and to develop scientific rationalism in the learners, the Superstition Eradication and Awareness Program (SEAP) is run by the college. Being a tribal area with low literacy, superstition is very high in this area. Students collect information about the superstitions widely spread in that area. This creates awareness among the students about the superstitions prevalent in rural areas. And every year the students of the college prepare programs for the nearby villages to eradicate superstitions and related practices and present programs there on market days, which helps in developing a scientific outlook among the villagers.





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**B) Go Green and Save Environment (GGSE)' 1- Environmental Sustainability Program** - Rapid climate change due to deforestation is a known fact. Being a science college, the institution aims to spread environmental awareness among the common man and hence has adopted the Environmental Sustainability Program. Every year in July/August, the college distributes fruit plants like mango, guava, jackfruit etc. among the villagers and students who are willing to adopt/care for it. Along with this, the importance of forests, climate change, environmental conservation is told to the villagers through street plays and conversations by the college students. This program has been started by the college in the session 2019-20 and it has been decided to come every year.

